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B. K. S. SOCIETY WINS HIGH SCHOOL DEBATE

The B. K. S. society of the High School won the decision over the S. & C. Society in the debate held Wednesday evening. The question was, Resolved that Military Preparedness is the Surest Guarantee of Peace. The winning team was composed of Misses Sarah Tunnell and Mary Wagner. The other society was represented by John Reading and Miss Alma Mount. The decision gives the News cup to the B. K. S. society for the coming year.

FUNERAL OF HARRY JONES THIS MORNING.

The body of Harry Jones arrived this morning accompanied by E. W. Hardin and family, Boone Jones, brother of deceased, and Rev. C. L. Brooks, who conducted the service at the cemetery.

The Portrait Habit

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33 YOUNG MEN LEAVE FOR FT. SAM HOUSTON

Another batch of young men left Wednesday evening for Fort Sam Houston, Tex. As usual in such cases hundreds of their relatives and friends were at the train to bid the boys farewell and extend best wishes. Thirty-five were scheduled to go, but two who are at other places failed to arrive. Following is the personnel of the party:

- 1949 Robert Gilstrap, Frisco
- 1936 Paul E. Harbin, Lula
- 1935 Charley Phillips, Allen
- 1930 Vernon E. Yonts, Ada
- 1928 Wesley Willard, Tyrola
- 1918 Thos. L. Hurley, Ada
- 1915 Joseph Cantrell, Center
- 1907 Robert J. Fink, Stonewall
- 1897 Guy Neel, Ada
- 1889 Lee Massey, Ada
- 1886 Edd Glover, Lula
- 1871 Austin A. Ellis, Ada
- 1833 Jim E. Thomasson, Ada
- 1860 Charlie Smith, Roff
- 1859 Geo. W. Adams, Allen
- 1849 Alfred C. Compton, Allen
- 1835 Ellis Turner, Vanoss
- 1833 Lasso Yancey, Ada
- 1828 Sam Lamb, Steedman
- 1825 Wm. S. Bagley, Ada
- 1823 Willie Boen, Stratford
- 1808 Richard H. Crowley, Hickory
- 1807 Pink A. Upton, Hart
- 1905 Roy D. Baker, Ft. Worth, Tex.
- 1799 Ernest Wilmoth, Roff
- 1798 Carl Stanfield, Ada
- 1795 Walter T. Brooks, Allen
- 1971 T. M. Cates, Ada
- 1962 Wm. H. Null, Okla. City
- 2148 Ben Nipps
- 2217 Claud C. Bobbitt, Ada
- 2284 Buck Sturill

D. C. Mathis, Horseshoe Ranch

Rooms for Normal Students.
Pres. Gordon states that it is uncertain just how many rooms will be needed for students for the summer term, but that more may be needed. Any one with rooms to rent should phone Miss Covington at the normal immediately.

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MUST WORK OR GO TO ARMY

DRASTIC REVISION OF DRAFT REGULATIONS ANNOUNCED BY CROWDER.

(By the Associated Press)
Washington, May 23.—Every man of draft age must work or fight after July under the new drastic amendment to the selective service regulations announced today by Provost Marshal General Crowder. Not only idlers but all draft registrants engaged in what are held to be non-useful occupations are to be called before the local boards and given the choice of a new job or the army. Gamblers, race track and bucketshop attendants head the list of non-useful occupations but those to be reached by new regulations include waiters, bartenders, attendants at hotels, clubs, and stores, domestics and clerks in stores. A man refusing to take useful employment will be placed in class 1 to see military service immediately. The regulations are expected to go a long way toward solving the labor problem for farms, shipbuilders and munition makers.

STEEDMAN.

More rain than ever. Boggy has been out of banks this year than for years and has caused much more damage to crops than was at first expected.

Dr. Standridge is up and around once more and it will be a help, as all had to send to Allen or Ada for a doctor.

The Red Cross seems to be a little slow, but will get there soon.

Quite a lot went up to Black Rock expecting to see the Allen show but failed to see it as it was the same as at Steedman, more wind than show, but still Black Rock made up \$50.00 for the Red Cross.

There will be a Red Cross pie supper at the Steedman school house the 21st. Come all who can.

The death angel visited J. W. Edwards' home and claimed little Marsteller, aged 19 months. All was done that could be done and we extend our sympathies to the father and mother. May they so live as to meet her in that bright home of hers.

Nathan Hughes has gone to Texas to be at the bedside of his brother, who is not expected to live.

The material for the new gin is arriving every day. There is already a good sized lumber yard on the ground.

The ladies of Steedman have an other installment of Red Cross sewing ready to send to Ada.

Our teacher, Prof. Billingsley, is going to Franks the coming year. Our loss is their gain.

PIONEER.

BEBEE.

The farmers were very glad to see the rain. It seems as though we can look for a shower each week.

Born to Tom Roddy and wife, Saturday, a fine boy.

Lonie Rollins, Susie and Nora Noel, Nettie and Hattie Walby were visiting Mabel Brock and Lena Lee Sunday afternoon.

Josie Rains from East Central Normal came home Sunday and will not return to the summer school.

George Pate and family of Ada were visiting in the Whitson home Saturday night and Sunday.

The teachers for the summer school have been selected. They are Mary Rushing, principal; and Josie Raines, assistant; we are looking forward to a good school year.

People of this community are raising more gardens and foodstuffs than ever before. The people have realized that they should produce more food than they can use so the boys who are fighting at the front for you and me can be properly fed.

Hoover has asked the people of the United States to not use any wheat flour in any way until the new harvest of wheat is here. We are believing that the people of Bebee community can say we helped save wheat, all we possibly could.

John Wells, Clarence Pinley and Walter Lewis will be the Bebee boys who leave this week for the training camp. We of course hate to see our boys leave; but glad we have boys who are willing and ready to go at Uncle Sam's call. May they have good speed wherever they go.

Etta Walby came home Saturday from the Normal to spend her vacation and she will return for the summer term Saturday.

The Council of Defense met Monday night on account of Siskin-Bann day night. On account of it being so muddy Judge Busby could not be present. He regretted it very much and also the people were disappointed. The Council of Defense elected their officers for the next three months. They are as follows: C. N. Walby, chairman; R. L. Rollins, vice president; Josie Raines, secretary.

There will be a nice supper at Bebee Friday night. Everybody is invited to come and bring a pie.

Tom Bailey and George Ivy from Worstell attended the Council of Defense meeting Monday night.

Will See and daughter Lena, were in town Tuesday.

J. R. Roddy is on the sick list this week.

Lonnie Rollins is visiting her sister, Mrs. Crane, this week.

Beebe will organize a sewing circle some time next week. Everybody who will sew any for the Red Cross is urged to be present. At a later date we can tell just day the meeting will be held.

Why make your loan on the monthly pay plan when you can get straight interest at reasonable rates and pay your interest Semi-Annually.—Conservative Loan Co., R. E. Brians, Manager, Haney-Norris bldg. 5-23-18

STILL PLAYING WAITING GAME

NEITHER SIDE ACTIVE IN FRANCE. ITALIANS PUSHING FIGHTING.

(By the Associated Press)
Western front infantry operations continue at a minimum, neither side giving any indication of immediate resumption of heavy fighting. Artillery fire is normal at various sectors. Between Arras and the Somme have been the only raids and on the French front and American sectors the lull is unbroken.

Lively fighting continues in the mountains of Northern Italy with the Italians and British on offensive. Along the Piave River artillery fire increased somewhat.

American Casualty List.
Washington, May 23.—Today's casualty list contained eighty-six names divided as follows: Killed in action, fourteen; died of wounds, twelve; died of disease, eleven; wounded severely, thirty-nine; wounded slightly nine; missing in action, one; among the severely wounded, is Private Ross R. Brown, Lookaba, Okla.

Only Artillery Busy.
London, May 23.—Heavy artillery fighting in the Ancre Valley, south-east of Lens and in the Flanders salient, is reported in today's official statement.

French Capture Prisoners.
Paris, May 23.—Intermittent shelling south of the River Aisne, French raiding detachment in Champagne brought back some prisoners and war material.

Congratulations
St. Louis, Mo., May 22, 1918
J. M. Wintersmith, Ada, Okla.: I am never too busy to read such a magnificent report as outlined in your letter of the twentieth. I want to heartily congratulate and thank in the name of the Red Cross all the people of Pontotoc county. Your work has been an inspiration to the entire division. Keep it up.
J. L. JOHNSTON,
Chairman Second War Fund Campaign

M. JEANNEY



Most recent photograph of M. Jeanney, the French minister of war.

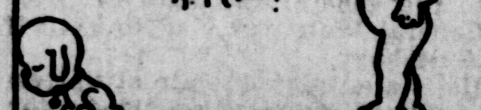
NEGRO MURDERER JERKED TO JESUS

(By the Associated Press)
Cordele, Ga., May 23.—James Cobb, negro, was taken from jail last night shortly after midnight. He was taken to the scene where he attacked and killed Mrs. Roy Simmons and hanged. The body was literally shot to pieces after hanging.

Zinc to Be Priced.
(By the Associated Press)
Washington, May 23.—The price fixing committee of the war industries board has recommended to President Wilson that he fix the price of zinc, grade A, at twelve cents per pound.

THE CHEERFUL CHERUB

The nicest reader wrote and asked If I could lend with her somewhere. I'd love to come but honestly I haven't anything to wear.



WEATHER REPORT.

The weather man is rather uncertain about Friday, contenting himself with the remark of its being unsettled and possibly local showers.

HUNS BOMBARD ALLIED HOSPITAL

BARBAROUS AIR RAIDERS KILL AND WOUND HUNDREDS OF PATIENTS.

(By the Associated Press)
With British Army in France, May 23.—German airmen again have bombed heavily British hospitals behind the lines, this time killing and wounding some hundreds among the personnel and patients of different hospitals in various groups.

One large American hospital, where many doctors and nurses were killed in a previous raid, is situated in the bombed area but this time escaped injury. A great number of bombs was dropped, some of them very large, but the majority hit explosive shrapnel which tore through the buildings and hospital tents. One man was killed while administering to the soldiers' wants, and another seriously hurt so she died later and still another was dying today. This latest horror was perpetrated Sunday night by four squadrons of enemy airplanes.

BYNG NEWS.
The farmers about Byng have good crops and a lot of rain, and too much grass.

Mrs. Ida Butcher is visiting at Shawnee this week.

The Red Cross box supper was one of the best and most successful.

The defense council called a box supper for the Red Cross at New Bethel school house, and the proceeds, \$107, put our school district over the top. We want to thank the ladies of this district, as everyone did her part. A large crowd attended.

We had also a cake which brought \$9.80 for the prettiest girl. Miss Mamie Jones received the most votes and got the cake. Also a cake was sold for the best looking married lady.

Mrs. George Legg of Byng got this one. A pie was sold for the ugliest man and it was won by a large majority by Stanley Lunsford. The pie sold for \$6.80 and no doubt it was bought for the ugliest man in Pontotoc county. Stanley thought he was pretty but the people convinced him by their vote that he was mistaken. Everything went off nicely and the people all enjoyed themselves. C. W. Stringer is a first class auctioneer as he did so well selling Red Cross boxes. A nice program was given by Mr. G. O. Griffith and his school children.

New Bethel district is over the top on the Red Cross.

Every man in the New Bethel district contributed to the Red Cross but one and we think we have a good bunch of patriotic people. Only one man refused the Liberty Loan, but we are proud we have only one slacker. Proud that we have but the one man who refused to support his country that he lives in. Only one slacker in District 51, and we hope he moves out of our district.

Frank Raines and John Laxton are some fishermen.

A large crowd of boys and girls visited Byng from Egypt Sunday.

90,000 SOLDIERS PER WEEK GOING TO EUROPE

Washington, May 23.—In a statement inserted in the House record today Representative Caldwell of New York, a member of the Military Committee, declared that during the first ten days of May 90,000 American soldiers were sent abroad, and said that after the expiration of one year from the arrival of the first shipment of troops from this country the United States would have one million men in France, equipped with the necessary arms and supplies.

When a request was made for a small expeditionary force from this country, critics of the administration Mr. Caldwell said, declared it would be impossible to ship from 50,000 to 100,000 men in the first year of the war.

COURT UPHOLDS TEXAS 10-MILE ZONE LAW

(By the Associated Press)
Austin, Tex., May 23.—In a majority opinion by Judge W. C. Morrow, the Court of Criminal Appeals today sustained the validity of the ten-mile zone law passed at the special session of the legislature. Presiding Judge Davidson dissented and filed an opinion giving his reasons in disagreeing with the majority and viewing the law as unconstitutional. By order of the majority, the habeas corpus application of the relator, G. H. Hollingsworth, is dismissed. No reference is made in the Morrow opinion to the state-wide dry law.

AVIATORS SHELL PAREE; GERMANS FLY IN ECSTASY.

(By the Associated Press)
Paris, May 23.—German aviators attacked Paris last night, this time succeeding in reaching the city. Bombs were dropped at various places, according to the official statement.

H. R. SNYDER'S BANK ROBBED BY YEGGMEN.

In a personal letter H. R. Snyder writes that his bank, the First National of Petersburg, Ind., was burglarized a few nights ago, the safe blowers getting away with \$3,900. They failed to get into the strong box where the bulk of the cash was held, however.

Less Artillery Firing.

(By the Associated Press)
With the Army in France, May 23. Falling off in artillery firing on American sectors is reported in official communique from General Pershing today. No new developments to report, the statement adds.

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- Invitation Rev. Geo. W. Beck.
- Vocal Solo L. T. Walters.
- Reading Violet Moore.
- South Ward Sextet, "Violet Lady"
- Redman
- Glenwood Chorus, "Maybells" Johns.
- Address to Class Rev. Geo. W. Beck.
- Vocal Solo L. T. Walters.
- Presentation of Diplomas
- Willard Chorus, "Stars Brightly Shining" Bronte

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BENEDUM & TRESS NO. 2 MAKES GOOD SHOWING

Benedum & Tress well No. 2, near Francis was put under the pump Wednesday and it is reported that fourteen barrels. An official and complete test will be made today.

\$44,000,000 SUBSCRIBED TO RED CROSS FUND

Washington, May 23.—Nearly one-half of the American Red Cross second \$100,000,000 war mercy fund had been subscribed on the face of returns received at headquarters here tonight, at the end of the third day of the week's campaign. The total subscriptions from the twelve districts was \$44,070,555, but it was recognized that these figures were incomplete.

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 - 18x38 Turkish Towels, Each 15c
 - 18x38 Turkish Towels, extra heavy, Each 25c
 - 24x42 Unbleached Turkish Towels, Each 25c
 - 22x44 Turkish Towels, 3 for \$1.00, Each 35c
 - 22x44 Fancy Turkish Towels, Each 50c
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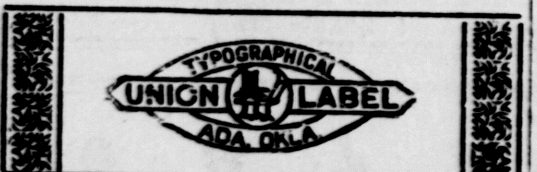
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The editor and better half left this afternoon for Medicine Park to attend the meeting of the state press association. If any one does not like the way things run during his absence, he requests that the kickers clean up on the office force before he returns. As a rule the editors get a better paper when the editor is gone than when he is on the job and the next two days will probably prove the rule.

Some people growl on account of meatless days, wheatless days, lightless days and other small sacrifices they must make. Surely they do not stop to think of the "boyless days" in thousands of American homes nor the "homeless days" for

the millions of boys in service for their country. One small sacrifice only for a day and are forgotten, but the "boyless days" and "homeless days" go one and on and on. Is it possible that there is one man or woman unwilling to help bear the burden of one day in order to bring back the missing one to their home circles?—Francis Wigwam.

T. R. PRAISES OPENNESS OF GERARD BOOK.
At a recent reunion and supper at the Harvard Club, Theodore Roosevelt told the gathering of New Yorkers that no ambassador he could recall, except Charles Francis Adams who represented the United States in London during the Civil War, had occupied a post as difficult as Mr. Gerard's at Berlin.

Mr. Gerard's interpretation of Germany, Col. Roosevelt said, should have made German-Americans aware that they could not keep up an "ambidextrous relation." He concluded: "Germany knows the wooden guns and the dummy carriages. If we try to conceal our blunders in the day of battle, we'll find the only ones fooled are ourselves."

That Mr. Gerard's position at the Imperial Court of Germany was indeed difficult and that America did everything that a nation could possibly do to keep out of the war without dishonor is poignantly shown in the big film production of Mr. Gerard's book, "My Four Years in Germany."

The film goes back to the very beginning of the war cloud in Germany and shows with pitiless clarity the whole series of incidents that forced America into the battle for the safety of the world.

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PUTTING TWO HUN SPIES OUT OF ACTION

(By the Associated Press)
London, April 11.—German spies have been a continual source of annoyance throughout the recent British retirements in France. Many of these spies have been detected in British uniforms, presumably stolen from bodies of the slain. A British officer in a letter to the Daily Express, tells of an encounter with two such spies.

"I had been ordered to take up a position with the two guns of my section of our infantry were being forced back. I was on a crest just in front of my guns ready and waiting to open fire and observe the rounds, but the specified time had not arrived.

"On the right of me was the road along which a few minutes before I had managed to get my guns. It was packed with infantry, transport, guns, prisoners and stretcher bearers struggling along with wounded. Something or other called my attention to the signallers trying to lay out a wire from the road towards my observation post. I could hear a gibe made to them, some witticism which caused a laugh. Then someone else's gun on the left opened fire. In a few seconds shadow advanced, a blue-gray shadow I picked up the target, a blue-gray shadow advancing in apparent silence over the top of a crest two thousand yards away.

"I gave the order to join in the chorus of guns. The rounds were bursting beautifully, and I picked up the range quickly and well, but I noticed Boche shells beginning to fall on and about the road, bursting with marvelous precision.

"I glanced behind at my guns, just as a shell burst one hundred yards in rear of them and another one hundred yards in front—a beautiful 'bracket', positively uncanny, as the guns were in a splendid position and certainly could not be seen.

"I knew what that bracket meant, and longed to give the Take cover, order to my gunners but only for one moment. Our job was to carry on. So we fired away as rapidly as we could, for, after all, we do not often have the luck to shoot at moving masses of the Boches.

"A few minutes later I received the message: 'Both guns out of action, sir.' I gazed round with a jerk, and there below me, sure enough, both guns were knocked out. 'The Boches had begun another deliberate shot at the other guns, and I could see at a glance he was somehow observing his rounds, and correcting them for line and range, and yet there were no Hun airplanes aloft to do it. A marvelous mystery! I determined to go to my guns and do my best to get them into action again, so off I moved, dodging around the ancient shell-holes of 1916, jumping across old German trenches.

"I had hardly gone twenty yards when I heard a buzz quite close, the buzz of a field telephone buzzer. I came up behind two men in khaki with the familiar blue and white band of the British signallers corps on their arms, evidently the men I had seen before, one gazing out towards the batteries on the left, the other buzzing. Quietly I approached. Then I grasped the situation. 'With a running jump I leaped on the instrument, yelled, and hit out with one fist under one jaw

and another on the back of a square, hard head.

"Gott in Himmel!" came from the hard-headed man and a guttural groan from the other whose jaw I had hit, who lay apparently stunned. "Then in a moment I was kicked in the back, which sent me reeling. I picked myself up, to find both Boches tearing away towards the road. They had some yards' start, but I gave chase. One stumbled and fell. I made a rush, and before he could rise kicked as I never had kicked before—a regular, proper punt. That settled him, and on I went.

The other ran on when suddenly he disappeared in a cloud of smoke and a deafening roar. We had run in front of one of our batteries. Fate decreed the fate of one, but the other I had settled—with a hob-nailed boot.

SMALL BOY PUTS ONE OVER GENERAL WOLF

Gainesburg, Ill., May 23.—Brigadier General Paul Wolf, commander of the first two camps at Plattsburg and now in more active service, is one of the strictest disciplinarians in the army. When he says "do this" grown men jump to do it; when he orders "don't do that," "That" is not done. But Gen. Wolf is ready to admit that he doesn't know all there is to know about discipline.

A 9-year-old American boy bested the brigadier. They met on a railroad train recently. The general was on his way from Camp Logan, Houston, Texas, to his home city. The boy was in command of the coach when General Wolf entered. He was making more noise than all the other passengers and the train put together. His mother could not make him behave.

General Wolf decided that the boy should be disciplined. He tried it. The 9-year-old was willing to listen but was not a bit impressed. He was friendly. He romped all over the officer. Pointing to his very, very fat mother, and then to their single berth, confided to the general: "See what I am up against tonight."

General Wolf was snocked at the lad's disrespect for his mother but he sympathized with him after a glance at the narrow bed. Every place in the Pullman was taken. "You can sleep with me," he told the boy and he practiced disciplinarian measures with his result: The boy amused himself by hitting over the head with the general's slippers everybody who walked through the aisles.

Escaped in his "nightie" and galloped through the car yelling like an Apache Indian. Peaked into a half dozen berths, howling with delight as the occupants screamed.

Climbed into bed with one of the general's aides and woke him by shoving his cold feet into the soldier's back.

Tossed a cupful of ice water on his sleeping mother. Mixed up the shoes the porter was shining.

Explored the general's traveling bag, pinning on himself various medals and army insignia. Finally he crawled back into bed with the general and went to sleep. General Wolf was glad to get off at Gainesburg.

He is a strong advocate of universal military training, provided "you don't have to take 'em too young."

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The historic Grant's Farm, upon which General Grant lived and labored before the outbreak of the Civil War, and where all his children but one were born, is now Mr. Busch's country estate, and is maintained in the highest state of cultivation, not only as a memorial to General Grant, but also for the raising of fine livestock and experimental scientific farming.

Besides being president of the Anheuser-Busch Brewing Association which is the largest industry of its kind in the world, Mr. Busch is interested in many enterprises, including farming, stock-raising, banking, manufacturing and railroading. He is also a member of the executive committee of the St. Louis branch of the National Security League, which is actively engaged in work in connection with the prosecution of the war.

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ADA MEN SIGNING FOR FARM WORK

Chairman Frick and his committee were around the streets today signing up volunteers for farm work and were highly pleased with the ready response by the citizens of all classes. The people are fully alive to the urgency of the situation and a great deal of work will be done by Ada citizens in the fields during the next month or two. There will be some blistered hands and aching backs, but it is all a part of the work of winning the war and it will be done cheerfully. Most of the workers will receive enough benefit physically to pay them several times over for their blisters and aches.

When an energetic hard-working man feels unduly tired, half-sick, "blue" and discouraged he thinks he is getting lazy. It isn't laziness, the trouble is in the stomach and bowels; they are disordered. To restore energy, vim and activity the right remedy is Prickly Ash Bitters. It is a powerful system regulator. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Gwin & Mays Drug Co., Special Agents.

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EXCELLENT OPPORTUNITIES

for young ladies in telephone operating. Salaries paid while learning. An increase given at the end of the four weeks school period and regular increase thereafter. Attractive working conditions and fascinating work. Apply to the Chief Operator. THE SOUTHWESTERN BELL TEL. CO. 5-16-4t

Fine Tomato Plants. Have thousands, very best varieties. See Rains Bros. or Rev. B. F. Stegall, one block northwest Frisco station. 5-22-3t

A War Savings Society is a War Club and is as essential for the promulgation of thrift and savings as the old-fashioned war club was for the savage.

Tomato Plants. See Rains Brothers' grocery—the "Success" best tomato grown 50c per hundred. 5-22-3t



AS NECESSARY AS HEAT IN WINTER

You would as soon dispense with your heating apparatus as to endure a sweltering summer without Emerson Fans, once they have made your nights comfortable and your days fit to work in.

The added efficiency that results from being comfortable 24 hours a day pays big dividends on the small amount invested, and you will hardly notice the increase in your bills. Buy from

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With 5 Year Factory-to-User Guarantee

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CONDENSED STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Merchants & Planters National Bank

ADA, OKLAHOMA
At the Close of Business May 10, 1918.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$ 746,506.63
Liberty Bonds	88,550.00
Bonds, Warrants, etc.	9,749.41
Furniture, Fixtures and Real Estate	8,500.00
CASH AND SIGHT EXCHANGE	188,284.37
TOTAL	\$1,041,590.41
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	50,877.15
Re-Discounts	118,534.59
Bills Payable	40,000.00
DEPOSITS	782,178.67
TOTAL	\$1,041,590.41

The above Statement is correct.

V. N. BARNETT, Cashier
M. R. CHILCUTT,
H. W. WELLS,
J. M. WINTERSMITH,
Directors.

If this film does not stir you to action may God forgive you—

Good Americans never will.

Ambassador Jas. W. Gerard's screenic expose of the interior workings of Germany's blood-lusting Cabinet and their hobby-horse leader, Kaiser, the murderer.

MY FOUR YEARS IN GERMANY

KAISER—
ZIMMERMAN—
VON JOW—
HINDENBURG—
VON TIRPITZ—
HOLLWEG—

Were all defied by Ambassador Gerard.
Gerard told Zimmerman we had 500,000 lamp posts in America for Pro-Germans.
He told Von Jow he would stay in Germany till hell froze over before signing any treaties.

SEE

The Kaiser on his wooden horse—He rides one.
Von Tripitz with miniature ships—He plays with them.
Hollweg with wooden soldiers—He plays with them.
Von Jow—His pastime is drawing pictures of snakes.

These are the Rulers and Leaders of the German Empire—Greatest collection of Imbeciles—Murderers—Thieves in the History of Humanity.

Come to the Majestic Friday and Saturday and see GERMANY IN TRUE LIGHT

Children 25c—Adults 50c—Plus the War Tax.
Note Schedule—First Show 1 P. M.—3:15—5:30—7:45—Last 10:00 P. M.

Shoe Fixing?

YES

We have enlarged our place of Business and have made it more commodious, and we are expecting our new Nailing Machine in a few days.

RUBBER HEELS PUT ON TO STAY

Shilling's Electric Shoe Shop

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Ada, Okla.

Watch for the Opening Announcement

WITH MRS. JACKSON'S RECITAL
The song recital by Mrs. Jackson at the First Methodist church last evening was a complete success in every detail.

The program which included a pleasing variety of selections met with hearty response from the audience.

Mrs. Jackson is a musician of unusual talent and splendid voice which has had the best of training and her singing is a treat to all who have the privilege of hearing her.

A good sized crowd attended the recital and a nice sum was realized for the benefit of the Red Cross.

Get your adding machine paper at the News office.

COMMERCIAL REGIMENT FOR CHINA PROPOSED

Peking, April 20.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press.)—A commercial regiment for China, composed of young American business men subject to war service, who, while serving their country will at the same time form the skirmish line of an American commercial army to invade China after the war, is one of the possibilities of recommendations by the American Minister Dr. Paul S. Reinsch, to the War and State Departments at Washington are headed.

The idea of a commercial regiment originated with Major Arthur Bassett of the United States army, stationed in Tientsin. His plan was suggested to Minister Reinsch and by the latter submitted to Washington for consideration.

"The idea," said Major Bassett, "is, briefly, to take young men with business experience or who expect to follow a business career who are drafted into the army and instead of sending them to France organize

them into a special regiment and send them to China. These men could get their military training here just as thoroughly as elsewhere and at the same time acquire a grounding in Eastern commercial methods. The would relieve troops now stationed here who would be available for service on the Western front.

"The North China School of Languages, which is already doing good work in teaching the northern or Mandarin Chinese has tentatively promised to open a branch of the school in Tientsin to each American troops as I have suggested. At the same time arrangements could easily be made for a course of instruction in Chinese commercial methods and business opportunities. With a knowledge of the language and with facilities for observation which could be assured, each man at the close of the war would become a factor for the promoting of American trade in China.

In the past trading has been done from the treaty ports whence the Chinese took the goods into the interior and marketed them. The Japanese, however, have more or less broken away from this practice; they have penetrated into the interior and have made it necessary for the old method of confining operations to treaty ports to be done away. If Western nations are to compete for this Chinese business, a large number of young business men who can speak the language and know the customs and practices of the people will be indispensable. They must be able to go into the interior and market their goods direct.

"In order to accomplish this the old trade regulations which have been in force in the past will have to be modified so that as to permit foreigners to trade more freely in the interior. There must be co-operation among western powers to get the Chinese to agree to this modification. This is the only way we shall ever be able to compete on an equal basis. After such modification has been accomplished, it will be up to the individual. My idea is to have young trained men on the ground capable of getting the business.

"There are really great commercial opportunities here in China, and it looks as though this would be the commercial battle ground after the war. If they are to hold their own in this contest, Western nations must prepare now for the struggle."

How Any Girl Can Have Pretty Eyes.

No girl is pretty if her eyes are red, strained or have dark rings. ONE WASH with pure Lavoptik eye wash will brighten the eyes and a week's use will surprise you with its INCREDIBLE results. A small bottle Lavoptik is guaranteed to make eyes healthy, sparkling and vivacious. The quick change will please you. Aluminum eye cup FREE. Gwin & Mays Drug Co.

Have customer for modern house from 5 to 8 rooms, also small house and lot. Cash customer for 80 acre and 160 acre farms. See Cloer at Commercial Hotel. 5-15-17

Tomato Plants. See Rains Brothers grocery. The celebrated "McGee" said to be most prolific of them all—50c per hundred. 5-22-31

Order your milk with your groceries. Call 840 or 841.—Rains Bros. 5-21-17

MURRAY SPEAKS ON WAR PROBLEMS

Former Congressman Murray addressed a large crowd on the streets of Ada Wednesday evening. His subject was Preparedness, or Winning the War, and he dwelt at length on the matter of food production and conservation as a means of supplying the allies and American troops with means of crushing the Teutonic menace to civilization. The Red Cross and the necessity of supporting the Liberty Loans also came in for attention. These things, he declared, will do more towards winning the war than will the military power in the field, for this can do nothing without the solid backing of the people who stand behind the troops with a steady stream of supplies.

He referred to his candidacy for governor only once. At the end of his address he stated that winning the war is the only plank in his platform.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Hall's Catarrh Cure has been taken by thirty-five years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the Blood on the Mucous surfaces, expelling the Poison from the Blood and healing the diseased portions. After you have taken Hall's Catarrh Cure for a short time you will see a great improvement in your general health. Start taking Hall's Catarrh Cure at once and get rid of catarrh. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, 7c.

Let a Want Ad set it for you.

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The Mozart Millinery Shop is now located in Burk's Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Store.

The same exclusive line of Millinery will be shown.

—And you will find a most cordial welcome any time you visit us.

The Mozart At Burk's

WANT ADS

Classified advertising will be charged for at the rate of one cent per word each insertion, with a minimum charge of 15c for first insertion. The little want adv. is the biggest puller in the world for securing help, selling anything you may want to sell, renting out your property, securing rooms, etc., and gets results immediately.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Front bed room joining bath. 314 West 14th. 5-22-21

FOR RENT—2 rooms for light house keeping. Call 533 after 6 o'clock. 5-6-17

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms down stairs. 211 West 16th. 5-22-17

FOR RENT—Furnished bed rooms.—Mrs. M. J. Phillips, 707 East Main. Phone 109. 1-3-17

FOR RENT—2 light housekeeping rooms. \$6 per week. See Cloer at Commercial hotel. 5-22-17

FOR RENT—Rooms for light housekeeping and single rooms for gentlemen.—Mrs. Saffarans. Telephone 224. 5-20-17

WANTED

WANTED—Your cleaning and pressing. Miller Bros. 3-1-17

WANTED—Housekeeper. Inquire at Faust Hospital. 5-21-31

WANTED—A good colored cook, man preferred.—Faust Hospital.

WANTED—Large, clean cotton rags. 3c per pound.—News Office.

WANTED—Girl to help do housework. Phone 328.—Mrs. Harvey Luther. 5-21-31

WANTED—6 laborers, 10 hours, \$3.25, steady job. Phone 550 after 6 P. M. 11

WANTED—4 or 5 room modern house close in. Call Mrs. DeLay, telephone 358. 5-21-31

WANTED—Boy to answer phone calls at night. Room free and small salary. Phone 692. 5-2-17

WANTED—Sewing for ladies and children.—Mrs. E. E. Ueltschey, 524 East 13th street. 5-20-51

WANTED—To rent light housekeeping rooms or small house furnished or unfurnished. Phone 419. 5-21-31

WANTED—Second hand meal and cake bags. Will pay ten cents each for good sound bags. Osage Cotton Oil Company. 3-25-17

WANTED—Salesmen to cover territory weekly and quarterly and headquarters on it. Answer in own handwriting saying if married or single, age and salary expected. Address, Ada, Box 745.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Ford Coupe, used seven weeks; bargain. Dr. Cummings. 5-23-31

FOR SALE—New furniture for three rooms. Call after 5 o'clock 210 W. 14th St. 5-21-31

FOR SALE—Direct Action gas range. Call today after 6 o'clock at 127 West 16th street, or phone 417.

FOR SALE—Buff Orpington eggs; \$1.00 per setting. 510 West 15th. Phone 545. H. A. Sprague. 5-23-61

FOR SALE—New Ford truck with '16 model motor, all in good condition. One 3 year old Jersey cow, will be fresh in few days.—W. A. Banks, last house, West 8th. 5-21-31

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FOR SALE—120 acres fine black land, 90 in cultivation, 70 acres in cotton this year. Near good school and on good road. 30 acres in fine prairie grass pasture. Good house and barn. A real bargain at \$55 per acre.—J. A. Cowling, Stonewall, Okla., Farms Lands and Real Estate 5-22-21-17w

MISCELLANEOUS

STRAYED—From my home in Ada, spotted Jersey cow. Reward for information.—Zac Smith, 200 5th and Townsend. 5-21-51

VOLUNTEERS TO AID FOOD ADMINISTRATION

Oklahoma City, May 23.—A census of volunteer workers for the Food Administration from among fourteen Oklahoma Colleges is being taken by Mrs. C. L. Henley of Oklahoma City. Mrs. Henley recently was appointed State Secretary of College volunteer workers on the staff of C. B. Ames, state food administrator. She expects to list and classify all of the volunteer college women, particularly those interested in Home Economics.

The list of suggested services for which Mrs. Henley will enroll volunteers includes assistants to local food administrators; organizers of local food clubs; assistants to demonstrators for local food clubs; clerical help both for the food clubs and county food administrators; lecturers, teachers and publicists for the dissemination of tested recipes, particularly those designed to save staple foods; library assistants, organizers and miscellaneous work.

The census will include the name of the student, address, school experience, practical experience, the course of study, training or experience as public speaker and worker, and amount of time available for the work.

Mrs. Henley will start with a handicap of a limited time in which to organize her work. She expects, however, to be able to accomplish considerable in time to make it of value during the food production and preserving season of 1918.

Have a cash customer for desirable lot. See Cloer at the Commercial. 5-20-17

SUMMER SESSION ADA PUBLIC SCHOOLS

The summer session of the Ada Public Schools will open Monday, May 27, and continue to Friday, July 26. The daily session will open at eight o'clock and close at 12:30 for six days in each week. The schedule of work has been arranged to help those High school pupils who are irregular in their classes to classify regular at the beginning of the fall term and to give the B-8 classes in all the ward schools an opportunity to do the A-8th work and enter the High School in September. Those who can not do the work will do much better in High School by taking the Eighth Grade work all of next year. The object of the summer school is therefore to put all pupils from the grammar grades in the High School at the beginning of the fall term and prevent the necessity of doubling the number of classes in the High School. There is no demand for such an arrangement and besides is decidedly more expensive than the additional cost of the summer school will amount to. It is hoped that next year the plan can be carried to all grades for the benefit of all children who have failed in all or part of their work. The faculty of the summer school will consist of Mr. A. L. Fentem, principal, Mathematics; Miss Ethel Reade, Languages and D. T. Bradshaw, Science. Other High School subjects will be distributed among these teachers. Mrs. A. L. Bullock will have part of the Eighth Grade work and will be assisted by the teachers in the High School department. J. D. HICKMAN, Supt.

A torpid liver is a heavy handicap to a working man. It robs him of strength, energy and mental alertness. To remove the burden the proper remedy is Prickly Ash Bitters. It is a fine liver, stomach and bowel medicine. Price \$1.25 per bottle. Gwin & Mays Drug Co., Special Agents.

STATE SUBSCRIBED \$35,939,650 TO LOAN
Oklahoma City, May 23.—Official figures on Oklahoma's subscription to the third Liberty loan were received today by Chester H. Westfall, director of the speakers bureau for the state campaign, and announced by him in a letter of thanks he sent to all who had spoken during the campaign in this state. "Every county in Oklahoma subscribed its full quota," reads the letter. "The total for the state was \$39,939,650. Its quota was \$29,033,200.00."

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We sell the famous BELDING-HALL Refrigerators. This is a scientifically constructed ice-saving Refrigerator, built in various sizes. No matter what size you may buy, you'll get the most for your money in a Belding-Hall.

JACKSON BROS.

Have you a Musical Car?

Does it squeak and wheeze and whistle every time you run it out? Then run it over here and let's see what's the matter. It may need HAVOLINE OIL and Havoline Greases.

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Let us tell you where to buy your Liberty Bonds and Thrift Stamps

BUY YOUR

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PHONE 29

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A. F. & A. M.
Regular meeting of Ada Lodge No. 119, Saturday night on or before the full moon in each month.
JOHN THRASHER, W. M.
F. C. SIMS, Secretary.

E. A. M.
Ada Chapter No. 26, Royal Arch Masons, meets the second Tuesday night in each month.
E. A. McMillan, H. P.
F. C. SIMS, Secretary.

K. T. M.
Ada Commandery No. 16 Knights Templar Masons meets the third Friday of each month.
C. G. BRADFORD, D. E. C.
F. C. SIMS, Recorder.

W. O. W.
Ada Camp, No. 568, meets every Tuesday night, 1 O. O. F. Hall 7:30 o'clock.
HUGH BENNETT, C. G.
C. E. CUNNING, Clerk.

B. P. O. E.
Ada Lodge No. 1275, B. P. O. E. Regular meeting second and fourth Mondays in each month.
H. P. REICH, E. R.
E. S. HARAWAY, Sec.

I. O. O. F.
Ada Lodge No. 146, I. O. O. F. Regular meeting every Thursday night.
FRANK ARNETT, N. G.
H. C. EVANS, Sec'y.

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Regular meetings on the Second and Fourth Thursday nights.
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

DISTRICT AND COUNTY
The News is authorized to announce the following gentlemen as candidates for the respective offices named, subject to the Democratic Primary:

For District Judge: ARDEN L. BULLOCK.
For County Attorney: WAYNE WADLINGTON.
For County Treasurer: D. W. SWAFFAR.
For Sheriff: BOB DUNCAN (re-election).
For County Tax Assessor: NICK HEARD (Re-election).
For County Clerk: MILTON GARNER.
Court Clerk: J. O. McMINN.
For County Weigher: O. J. LEE (Re-election).
JOHN WARD.
For County Judge: OREL BUSBY (Re-election).
J. O. COWART.
For County Superintendent: A. FLOYD (Re-election).
For Co. Commissioner, 1st District: W. H. BRUMLEY (Re-Elec.).
For County Commissioner (2nd Dist.): R. L. MOSS.
J. I. LAUGHLIN.
W. B. SELFIDGE.
County Commissioner, 3rd Dist.—HENRY F. BIBB.
W. H. BRENTS (Re-election).

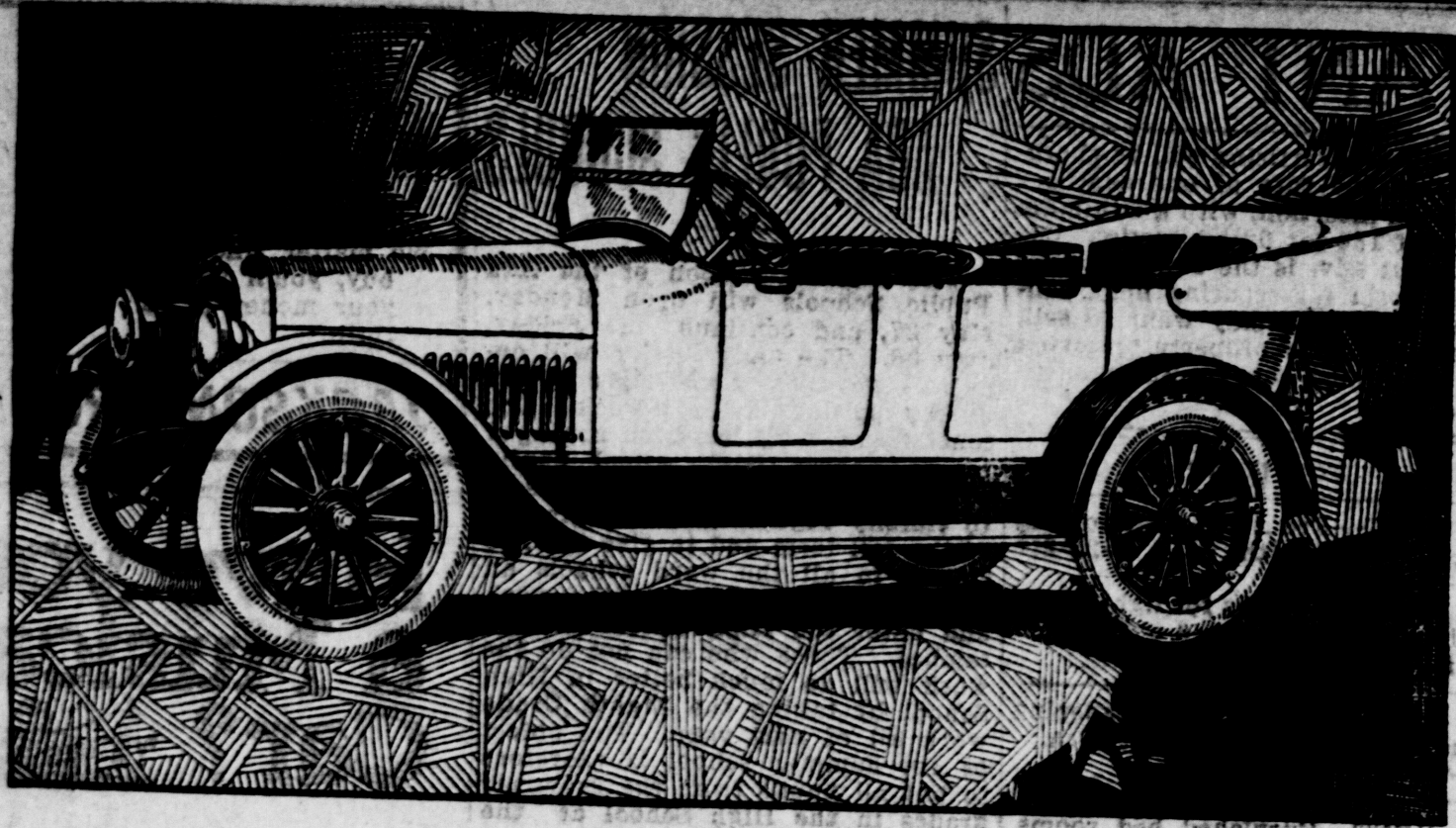
C. E. Cunning is now clerk of the W. O. W. and can be found at the Dascomb Daniels Lumber yard. 5-9-1mo
City loans, good contract, just \$14.30 per month per \$1000.—J. G. Witherspoon, 119 S. Broadway. 5-3-17

TO-DAY LIBERTY TO-DAY

Special Harry Carey Production

THIEVES' GOLD

From the Story, "Back to the Right Trial," by Frank Becholt. A true story of a man's man in the great rugged Northwest.



We are pleased to announce that the Studebaker Corporation advises we will be able to make deliveries on a few Little Sixes within the next few days, sample of which is now on display at our sales room.

We are enlarging our place, and will be able to render better service than ever to Studebaker owners as soon as carpenters have completed the work.

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ADA, OKLAHOMA

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W. B. CARR,
Sales and Service Manager

J. O. COWART

Agrees with the people if he is elected to the office of County Judge of Pontotoc County, that he will make the following innovations in the County Court procedure:

FIRST: The first Monday of each month shall be LAND SALES DAY. Sales will begin at 12 o'clock Noon, and will continue as long as required, giving the people in all parts of the county time to get in for the sales. This means all legal sales of lands will be made on the first Monday of each month, fixing a definite time when sales will be made, so that the people will be able to attend these sales and have a chance to bid on the lands that are offered for sale through the county court.

SECOND: Guardian sales of minor lands will be sold on TERMS instead of for cash in hand. Section 6567 of the Revised Laws of 1910, Volume 2, provides that minors' lands may be sold for cash or part cash and deferred payments not to exceed three years in the discretion of the County Judge, as is most beneficial to the ward.

I shall not permit a system of these land sales to be carried on that tends to monopolize land sales in the County Court in favor of any special interest. The lands will be sold one-fourth cash, and deferred payments of one, two, and three years, allowing the farmers and poor men a chance to get homes. Good homes mean a contented citizenship; there is plenty of land to provide for all who desire homes if they are given a chance to bid on the lands and made terms, so that the man who tills the soil may reap the full benefit of his labor, instead of paying tribute to the landlords. These lands will be advertised in all the newspapers of the county inviting competitive bids; thereby preventing a monopoly by the few.

THIRD: The Legislature of Oklahoma in 1915, Session Laws, Chapter 403, Page 411; under the caption of Guardian and Ward, amended the law so as to read as follows:

That after the passage of this act, no person shall be appointed guardian of any minor or other person who is at the time of the hearing of such application for appointment, the guardian of as many as five persons.

This clearly shows to the mind of any thinking man, that the Legislature saw the evil of professional guardians and passed a law attempting to regulate and prevent the evil practices of men making a profession of state. If I am elected County Judge, I promise to require all guardians holding more than five guardianships to make final report. I shall appoint suitable farmers and business men living in the communities where the lands and estates are situated as guardians of these wards; thereby localizing the guardianships where the lands are. Five guardianships for one man is enough. There is no question but the interest of the ward would thus be best conserved. The records of the County Court show that a few men are holding large numbers of guardianships, some as high as thirty-one. This should be remedied, and will be if I am elected your County Judge.

FOURTH: There are only two ways of securing farms by reason of the restrictions on Indian lands in this county: By guardian sale or dead Indian claim. The County Court has full and complete jurisdiction over both. If you get a piece of land it must come through the County Court.

I have explained above how I expect to handle guardian sales of lands. Now as to dead Indian claims. These lands will be advertised in all parts of the county, giving the full descriptions of the lands and the name of the allottee.

No approval will be made, except on the first Monday of each month, of any deed secured from the heirs of a dead Indian. After a deed is filed for approval, three men will be appointed who live in the community where the land is situated to appraise the same; this will effectually do away with professional land grafting, and will give the people who farm an opportunity to buy these lands.

I was raised on a farm and know from experience as well as from observation something of the problems of agriculture.

Now, at this time when the very life of our country is at stake and side by side stand the farmer and the soldier in defense of Democracy, I am prompted to take my stand with the producer in the interest of a square deal to both the land owner and the man who wants a farm.

(Advertisement)

Respectfully submitted,
J. O. COWART.

PICKETT PICKINGS.
But gee, don't it rain? Lookout, boys, you will get lost in the grass. Dipping cattle and horses was the order of the day Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Knox were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hinkle were visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hudlow Sunday.

A good congregation attended church Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Jones were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hooser Sunday.
Pickett school closed Friday night.

With a nice program. The Podunk Limited was the closing play. The Hudlow boys furnished the music. Buena Hudlow was visiting Vera Hooser Saturday night and Sunday. The dance at Jess Goughly's was enjoyed by all present.
Mrs. Hudlow is on the puny list this week.
Preaching next Sunday. Everybody invited.
Miss Lucy Ayers has gone to her home at Weleetka since her school has closed here.
Pickett went over the top with the Red Cross.
George Goughly was visiting his brothers at Pickett Sunday.
CHOCTAW BILL.
EGYPT.
The people of Egypt are looking blue about this rainy weather.
Mrs. Corvin has been very low for the past week.
Henry Yancy left for Stonewall Saturday and returned home Monday, having some bad luck with his car. It was sometime in the night when he got there. Henry is so proud of his car, and so are all the girls of Egypt. In the rest of you boys want to get you a girl, get a car first.
Ruby and Stella McNight of Union Hill were visiting Dollie and Annie Fulton Sunday evening.
Some of the Egypt people will be at the singing at Colbert Sunday.
We had quite a little storm and a very hard rain Sunday night, which washed the crops very badly.
There will be a party at Walter Ray's tonight. Hope there will be a good crowd and will have a fine time.
Annie Fulton visited her brother Jess at Lovelady, but returned in time for the pie supper.
Mr. B. Fulton was a guest at the Tillie home Sunday afternoon.
Come on, Union Hill, with your news.
E. W. N.

Let a Want Ad get it for you.

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City News

Get it at Gwin & Mays.
See Warren and See Butler.
Have your Photo made at West's.

Forty-cent plate lunch—Schreiber's.
The Mozart Millinery Shop is now located at Burk's store. 5-21-31*
Mrs. Melissa Bills was a Francis visitor this afternoon.

Flowers are appreciated as graduation gifts.—Ada Greenhouse. 5-17-11
J. B. Brunner left this morning on a business trip to McAlester.

The Mozart Millinery Shop is now located at Burk's store. 5-21-31*

Hon. W. H. Murray returned to his home at Tishomingo this afternoon. City loans, good contract, just \$14.30 per month per \$1000.—J. G. Witherspoon, 119 S. Broadway. 5-18-11

Mrs. L. A. Maxey returned from a week's visit to relatives at Dexter, Texas.

Special for Friday and Saturday—3 pairs of Children's Hose for 25c.—Duke & Ayres. 5-23-31*

A dance will be given Friday night at Schreiber's in honor of the boys who leave Saturday for the army. Order your milk with your groceries. Call 840 or 841.—Rains Bros.

Judge J. W. Bolen and Blaine Gilbreath left this afternoon for Wewoka, where a habeas corpus trial is set for hearing.

We are now selling Sneed's fresh cow's milk; 15c quart.—Rains Bros. 5-21-11

Mrs. O. E. Tunnell and Miss Mae Flynn of Kingston went to Holdenville this afternoon to attend the commencement exercises of the high school.

T. M. Evans, president of the Keltner Mining Co. and C. F. Dyke, president of the Montreal Mining Co., of Miami, were business visitors in Ada today.

Mrs. J. T. Brooks, wife of former Frisco Superintendent J. T. Brooks, who is now in France, is here and has a responsible position with the Frisco Dispatcher's office.—Francis Wigwam

Fred Mayfield, advance man for Lester Lindsey's tent show, is in the city arranging for his show to perform here next week. He says their show is guaranteed to be moral and refined, and invites the city authorities to be present and close the show at any time they deem it unfit for the public.

The Manual Training Department of the High School can furnish drying frames 14x27 inches and equipment therefor at \$2.00 each. Telephone 371. 5-22-21

Mrs. T. W. Brydia and little daughters left this afternoon for Weatherford, Oklahoma, where they will attend the graduating exercises of the normal where Miss Daisy Whipple, sister of the first named, graduates.

Supt. J. R. Small of Washington, Okla., came in this morning to begin his work at the normal. Supt. Small will teach in the history department of the Normal during the summer term.

Supt. Luther Paden who was to have had work in the history department of the normal for the summer, received a call this morning to report at once for army service. Supt. Paden will leave immediately for camp.

D. R. Robb states that nine running horses are already at the county fair ground and that four more are expected by the middle of next week. As soon as the track can be put into proper condition some good races will be pulled off.

A wire from Floyd Haynes and Jim Keltner, who have been attending the Meridian College, Meridian, Miss., states that they have accepted positions with the government near Nashville, Tennessee. It is presumed that they are in a munitions factory.

Mrs. John Threadgill who arrived here last evening left this morning for Madill where she will fill an engagement this afternoon. This morning a number of ladies was called informally at Mrs. Tom Hope's to meet Mrs. Threadgill. She will return to Ada and give an address at the Christian church next Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Your liberality in buying War Savings Stamps indicate that you are helping the boys "over there" on to Berlin.

The Violin recital by the Edison people last Friday evening was well attended and very much enjoyed by the audience. The proceeds went to the Red Cross funds. A quilt, donated by Miss Anna Davidson was auctioned off and purchased by the state geologist Hazar at \$15, who then gave the quilt to Mrs. J. H. Bean to again be sold for the Red Cross.—Francis Wigwam

LIBERTY.

Thieves' Gold is a special feature from the story, Back to the Right Trail. It is a true story of a man's struggles and triumph in the great Northwest. This is a Harry Carey production, a fact guaranteeing its high quality.

For the convenience of the public the News is carrying on sale a supply of Thrift Stamps and War Savings Certificates.

ADA TRAIN SCHEDULE

M. K. & T. Railway	
East	
No. 20 Lv. Daily.....	11:15 A. M.
No. 16 Lv. Daily.....	10:05 P. M.
West	
No. 19 Av. Daily.....	4:36 P. M.
No. 15 Av. Daily.....	5:00 A. M.
Santa Fe Railroad	
East	
No. 459 Lv. Daily.....	3:00 P. M.
No. 446 Av. Daily.....	1:20 P. M.
West	
No. 449 Lv. Daily.....	11:00 A. M.
No. 445 Lv. Daily.....	3:00 P. M.
Frisco Railroad	
North	
No. 526, Okmulgee Lv.....	6:00 A. M.
No. 610, Eastern Ex. Lv.....	12:30 P. M.
No. 512 Meteor Lv.....	4:32 P. M.
South	
No. 511 Meteor Ar.....	12:57 P. M.
No. 507 Sherman Ex. Ar.....	6:00 P. M.
No. 527 Okmulgee Ar.....	8:15 P. M.

Want Ads

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE—Choice Jersey cow, fresh. 1004 East 9th. 5-23-31*

SCRAYED—Two grown bronze turkeys. Reward for return.—Mrs. W. M. Prewitt, 216 E. 12th, Phone 217. 5-24-31

RULINGS BY FOOD

ADMINISTRATION

IN REPLY TO SOME QUESTIONS ASKED THE FOOD ADMINISTRATION.

To Retail Merchants and School District Food Administrators:

Flour.
A new system on the sale of flour in Pontotoc County, went into effect on May 20th, and you have been advised of this. I have had a number of inquiries, however, as to whether or not substitutes should be sold with flour. The rule as to the sale of substitutes is not changed, and every purchase of flour should be accompanied, as heretofore, with the purchase of substitutes, unless Miller's Certificate is furnished showing meal on hand, in which case you can have purchaser sign substitute blank.

Baking of Pies.
The Food Administration does not discourage the baking of pies, but does ask that pie crust be made, largely, of wheat flour substitutes. The promiscuous baking of cake where wheat flour altogether is used, should be discouraged. Very few cakes should be baked unless substitutes can be used for the wheat flour.

Ice Cream.
The Food Administration does not discourage the making of Ice Cream, as ice cream is a food in itself, and is important in view of its relation to the milk industry.

Poultry Rule.
The rule prohibiting the killing of hens was terminated on April 20th. The Food Administration earnestly encourages the consumption of poultry, eggs and vegetables instead of beef and pork.

Some Canning.
The Food Administration encourages home canning in order that perishable food may be saved this summer to be eaten in the place of meats next winter.

Conservation of Meat.
Meatless days have heretofore been suspended but the Food Administration desires rigid economy in the consumption of all kinds of meat without, however, re-establishing meatless days for the present. We are now shipping to our Allies about seventy-five million pounds of meat per week against pre-war normal of less than fifteen million pounds. Even then the Allies have found it necessary to reduce the consumption of all kinds of meat and poultry to an average of one and one-quarter pounds per person per week. Our consumption of meat in the United States is about three and one quarter pounds per person per week. Hence the necessity of further economy.

Shipment of Perishables.
Perishables are at shipper's risk if sold f. o. b. delivery point, but at risk of consignee, the Food Administration is interested only from the point of view of preventing waste, and will interfere to prevent waste.

New Business.
The Food Administration does not wish to encourage new confectionery enterprises, or any new enterprises requiring sugar.

Run-Governing Sale of Eggs.
The Law Department rules that in no case shall a dealer sell fresh eggs to any dealer in a class further removed from the consumer than the class in which the seller is included. For example, a jobber shall not sell to a wholesaler or a retailer in the country who buys eggs from a farmer or takes eggs in trade is not considered a retailer of eggs. He occupies the position more like that of an original packer or shipper and may sell to any one he pleases.

Binder Twine.
The Sisal and Jute Divisions of the Food Administration in order to insure an adequate supply of binder twine to meet the 1918 harvest requirements, has revised the margins of profits to be received by retail dealers in this commodity. Farmers are earnestly urged to place their orders for probable requirements of binder twine as soon as possible to the end that local dealers may provide for early shipment. Shipping conditions are such that more time must be allowed from factory to local distributing points than usual in order to avoid danger of supplies.

I might add that I have been reliably informed that Binder Twine may be purchased from the Warden of the State Penitentiary at McAlester at a very reasonable price.

License.
Persons engaged in the following business must procure license: Importers, manufacturers or distributors of cotton seed hulls and owners of elevators, warehouses or other places for storage of cotton seed hulls. Ginners, buyers, agents, dealers or other handlers of cotton seed not already licensed by the food administration, who handle yearly between September 1st and August 30th more than twenty tons of cotton seed.

I wish you would give full publicity to ads in this bulletin which will be of local interest in your particular locality.

Yours truly,
OREL BUSBY,
Federal Food Administrator for Pontotoc County.

TYROLA PICKUPS.

Jim and Henry Bevel went to Ada Friday afternoon.
Miss Minnie Julian is on the sick list.
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bevel and little son went to Ada Wednesday.

Mrs. Bevel visited her daughter, Mrs. Bessie Chandler, Sunday.
Babe Kellum has been on the sick list but is improving now.

Mrs. B. L. Myers' baby is on the sick list and is very low with pneumonia.

Mrs. Tanner visited her husband in the training camp at Waco, Texas.
Miss Elizabeth Bevel returned home from Ada, where she has been going to school for some time.

Miss Dade Duvall's school will close next Friday afternoon.
We are having fine weather and crops are looking fine.

Mr. Pharr's folks went to Ada Monday on a business trip.
Mrs. Simpson and children went to Ada Monday.

Buffalo Bill.

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DO NOT MISS IT

The following telegram relative to

Sergeant W. F. Bennett

was received Wednesday night:

Oklahoma City, Okla., May 22, 1918; 5:45 P. M.
J. M. Wintersmith,
Ada, Oklahoma.

Sergeant W. F. Bennett, of British Colonial troops, Canada, received medal for continued service. Saw thirty-eight months' service, nine months' fighting, seventeen months first aid worker in trenches. Was buried in mine cave-in. Lost brother in second battle of Ypres, where report that English colonel was crucified. Bennett in first gas attack when gas masks were unknown. In battle of Somme and Vimy Ridge. An interesting talker, deserves big crowd. Only plenty publicity will do it.

STANLEY HEYMAN.—643

He will speak at the Normal Friday evening

at 8:30

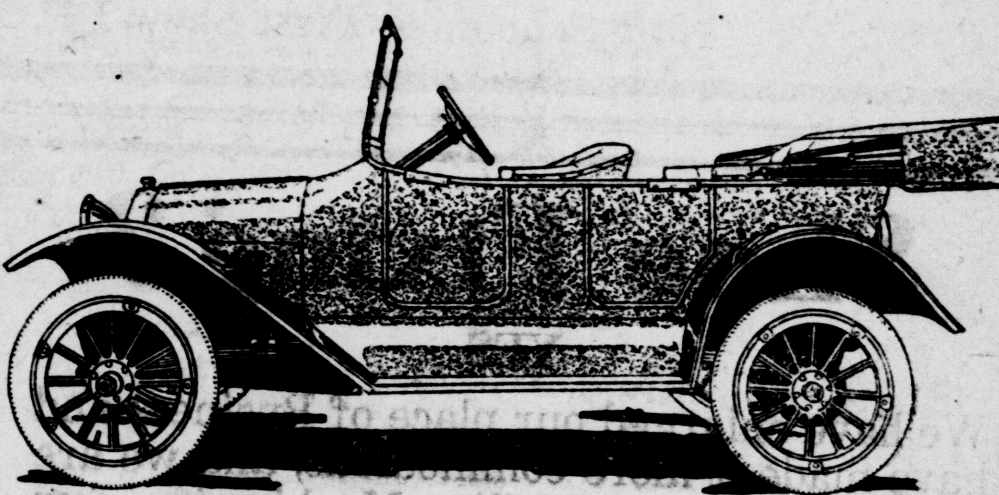
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ANNOUNCEMENT

We have been fortunate enough to secure the Agency for Chevrolet Automobiles for this territory and will maintain a modern service station for these cars, we will be glad to render all owners every attention possible.

We will have on display a stock of the 1918 model cars within the next few days.



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The Guest Millinery Parlor

We will offer for sale beginning on the 25th (Saturday) at 1-2 price all our pattern hats. You will find a beautiful showing in fashionable patterns, priced \$5 to \$15. We cut this price in two during this sale which will last through the week following Saturday. Don't fail to visit us if you contemplate buying soon. To make this sale doubly inviting we will allow you a reduction on all the rest of our ladies and children's Hats. So don't fail to come.

Yours truly,

Guest Bros.

Miss Crawford, Manager

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Nyal's Peroxide Cream 25 and 50 cents
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Nolitis Perspirine 25 cents
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To users of Better Toilet Necessities, these will appeal.

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